



FINAL SUMMONS

Came to Mrs. Hawes Lane at her Home on Saturday Morning.

Death Was Due to an Attack of Acute Indigestion.

Mrs. Hawes Owings Lane, one of the most beloved women in the county, was found dead in bed at her home on the Owingsville pike, near this city, by her son Saturday morning.

Mrs. Lane had suffered an attack of acute indigestion Friday night and a physician was summoned, but when he left her condition was much improved. However, when she retired her son remained in the room for the remainder of the night and when he awoke the following morning he went to his mother's bedside and found her cold in death, she having died apparently without a struggle. Her daughter, Miss Bessie Lane, was spending the night in town with relatives.

Mrs. Lane was 69 years old and had always lived in this, her native county, where she was widely known and well loved by many friends and relatives. She is survived by seven children, Mrs. Mary Bailey, Mrs. Dee McDonnell, of Woodford county; Newton Lane, of Boyle county; S. B. Lane, Thomas Lane, Sam Lane and Miss Bessie Lane, of this county, who have the deepest sympathy of many friends in the loss of this most excellent Christian lady.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at her late residence, conducted by Rev. George Kennard, and burial in Machpelah Cemetery.

Move To Indiana.

Mrs. James K. Shropshire and two children will leave the latter part of this month for Frankfort, Ind., to join Mr. Shropshire, who has been engaged in business in that city for the past two months. Mr. and Mrs. Shropshire's many friends will regret to learn of their decision to leave Mt. Sterling but will wish them abundant success and prosperity in their new home.

We have bought from C. C. McDonald and now have for sale two of the fattest heifers you ever saw. Don't fail to get your share. E. T. Hon & Co.

TOBACCO SELLS HIGH

Over 600,000 Pounds Sold Here During Past Week

Quality Fair and High Prices are Prevailing.

During the past week the two local warehouses have been selling capacity floors at every sale. The quality of tobacco has not been the best but the prices obtained have been very satisfactory, over 600,000 pounds changing hands at prices ranging from 4 to 45 cents per pound. The streets have been literally lined with canvas covered wagons and a number of traveling men have been heard to remark, "Mt. Sterling will soon rival Lexington as a tobacco market." In fact, as far as price is concerned, we are as good a market as can be found in the State and in a few years we are sure to have one of the largest tobacco markets in the Commonwealth, as the farmers living adjacent to Mt. Sterling have already seen the folly of hauling their tobacco to Lexington where no better prices are obtained than right here at home.

Some of the best averages reported at the Burley house are: W. N. Kirk, \$17.25; Prewitt & Holley, \$18.00; Joe Rayborn, \$19.40; J. Ed. McClure, \$16.25; N. B. Hoskins, \$13.40.

The Farmers' house reports the following averages Monday among some of their best: Dan May 1,950 lbs., \$16.42; Goodpastor & Duff 3,065 lbs., \$19.92; Ratliff & Crockett 3,250 lbs., \$16.42; Burchett & Robinson 8,700 lbs., \$16.40; Bridges Bros., 9,520 lbs., \$18.04. Floor averaged \$14.36.

Miss Nannie Dunavent Dies While Sitting in Chair.

Miss Nannie Dunavent, aged about 67 years, died at the residence of her brother, Mr. James Dunavent, near Grassy Lick, Saturday while sitting in her chair. Her death is supposed to have been caused by heart failure. The burial took place in the North Middletown Cemetery Tuesday. Miss Dunavent was a lovely Christian woman, and had many relatives in this city and county who will mourn her loss.

New figs, dates and raisins at Vanarsdell's.

ORDERED TO MOVE

Instructions to Postmaster Lockridge Just Received.

Beautiful New Building To Be Occupied By February 1st.

At last the beautiful new government building situated opposite this office which has been practically completed for several months past will be used for the purpose for which it was built. Postmaster H. W. Lockridge has received instructions to move by February 1st and it is understood that he will begin in a few days to carry out the orders from Washington. The building certainly is an example of the builders art and Contractor Adolph Deitz who drew the plans for H. A. Bishop & Co., who had the contract for erecting the building has received many compliments. It is a most complete structure having a large light room for the handling of the mail, two large safes for important papers and the holding of the Postal Savings deposits, private office for the Postmaster, lounging rooms for the carriers as well as a shower bath, wash room, etc., for the employees. Can be heated by natural gas or coal furnace. Is wired for electric lights and piped for natural gas. The public have been wondering for some time why the building had not been occupied and that same is to be soon will be welcome news. We welcome our new neighbors.

Corwin Brockway Dies in Lexington.

Mr. Corwin Brockway, aged about 28 years, was found dead at a boarding house in Lexington last Thursday morning. It is thought his death was caused by heart failure as he was known to have a weak heart, and when he retired the night before his death he was apparently in good health.

Mr. Brockway was a painter by trade and was a native of this city. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brockway and a brother of Mr. Edward L. Brockway, Mr. Norman Brockway and Miss Ina Brockway. The burial was held in this city Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. E. L. Brockway on Harrison avenue. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. George Kennard with burial in Machpelah cemetery.

Heavy Rains.

During the past week the rain fall has been exceedingly heavy throughout Kentucky and river towns have suffered many thousands of dollars loss. Trains have been greatly delayed owing to high water, many trestles having been washed away. At Frankfort and Louisville the loss has been heavy while at Beattyville high waters in the Kentucky river have caused a heavy loss to that section. Sunday there was a big drop in temperature and it is believed a relief from the flood situation is in sight.

Handsome Dwelling For Sale.

T. F. Rogers & Son have the exclusive sale of the property of Mrs. Lucile Wilson O'Rear, situated on the west side of North Sycamore street, this city. This is handsome property and in good neighborhood. Anyone interested will please call on the above named real estate agents.

CHARLIE HIBLER

Passes to Great Beyond After Many Years of Suffering

The Burial Took Place in Paris Tuesday Afternoon.

After a sickness covering a number of years Charlie Hibler died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Nannie K. Hibler, Monday morning. Always cheerful and looking upon the bright side of life he bore his sufferings bravely and when his Master called he was ready to answer the final summons. He was about 33 years old and was a young man of splendid habits and excellent character and always led the life of a Christian.

Funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. B. W. Trimble, and his remains were taken to Paris for interment.

To the sorrowing mother and sister left to mourn his loss the ADVOCATE joins many friends in extending deepest sympathy.

McDonald on Steer Feeding.

Mr. C. C. McDonald, of this city, addressed the Kentucky Beef Cattle Breeders' Association in Lexington last week on the subject "Steer Feeding" and said in part:

There are certainly two kinds of steers not to feed. They are the kind that cannot be acclimated and the very wild kind. He said that the best cattle to feed in this State are those that come from Eastern Kentucky, where more than 10,000 have recently been exported. The speaker concluded his remarks by registering a complaint against the breeder who will not give his cattle the proper amount of water, who brands them miserably and who wastes the feed he has.

Reads Paper on Swine.

Mr. T. Hughes Atkinson, of this county, read an interesting paper on "The Development of the Hampshire Breed" at a meeting of the Kentucky Swine Breeders' Association held at Lexington last week. Mr. Atkinson, who is one of the most successful breeders of fine swine in the State, is considered an authority on this subject.

Saturday and Court Day Specials.

The following are some special prices for these two days:

Riveting machine, regular price 50c, cut to 25c; Lanterns, regular price 40c, cut to 25c; Shaving Mugs, regular price 20c, cut to 10c; Williams' Barber Bar Shaving Soap, regular price 10c cake, cut to 5c; Ladies' Vests, good weight, regular price 25c, cut to 19c. The Fair.

No You Don't.

You never hear any of J. B. White's customers complaining about the high cost of living. Why? Because they are getting good family flour at \$2.40 per sack, best granulated sugar at 5 1/2c per pound, dry salt bacon at 12 1/2c per pound, fresh ground coffee at 20c per pound and so on down the line, for cash.

Mr. Bigstaff Speaks.

Hon. Thos. J. Bigstaff, of this city, addressed the sheep breeders at State University at Lexington, Thursday, his subject being, "Why the Farmers of Southeastern Kentucky Should Raise Sheep"

SERIOUSLY INJURED

Mrs. Mary E. Meguiar Falls on Porch and Breaks Hip.

One of Most Prominent Women in Montgomery County.

Last Sunday afternoon Mrs. Mary E. Meguiar slipped and fell on the porch of her residence, on West Main street, and broke her hip. Owing to her advanced age, 81 years, her condition is very serious and is causing her relatives and friends much concern. Mrs. Meguiar has been a resident of Mt. Sterling for many years, has always been a prominent worker in the Methodist Church, and her host of friends in this section of the State will learn of her accident with sincere regret.

Killed at Dance.

Leonard Fluty, aged seventeen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fluty, who reside just over the Clark county line in Estill, shot and instantly killed T. D. Berryman last Thursday evening about midnight at the home of Sam Berryman, while a big New Year's dance was in progress.

Fluty escaped to Estill county, but was later captured by Officer Ballard and lodged in jail. Mr. Berryman was a prominent Clark county man.

To Teach Auction Bridge.

Arrangements have been about completed with Miss Mamie Turner, of Mt. Sterling, to teach a class in auction bridge in Paris. The days for the meeting of the class will be announced later.—Paris Cor. Lexington Herald.

Bride 14, Groom 16.

Mr. Harvey Overly, of Camargo, aged 16, and Miss Mary E. Mitchell, of the Levee, aged 14, will be married at the bride's residence today.

"Mr. Bob" will make U laugh at The Tabb Thursday night. Reserved seats now on sale at Mt. Sterling Drug Co., 50 cents, general admission 35 cents.

FOR SALE—10 Bluegrass farms, 26 houses and lots; also 23 houses for rent. Apply to R. F. GREENE, 24 tf. The Real Estate Agent.

Everything Ready for "Mr. Bob" Thursday Night.

Everything is in readiness for "Mr. Bob" which will be put on at the Tabb Opera House Thursday night by an excellent local cast coached and directed by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adams and under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. The different members of the cast are now going through their parts with the vim and vigor of old time professionals. Persons who have seen the preparations declare that "Mr. Bob" will compare favorably with professional musical comedy. Reserved seats are now on sale at the Mt. Sterling Drug Co., 50 cents. General admission 35 cents.

THE CAST

Robert Brown, a much abused law clerk G. B. Senff
Philip Royson, fond of yachting J. T. Adams
Jenkins, who objects to cats Marvin Gay
Rebecca Luke, fond of cats Mrs. Sophia Randall
Katherine Rogers, her niece Mrs. R. P. Thomas
Marion Bryant (Mr. Bob) Miss Eliza Lockhart
Patty, who loves dramatic art Mrs. S. E. Spratt

Fresh Fish.

Fresh caught fish Tuesday and Saturday.

E. T. Hon & Co.

Cox Inaugurated.

James M. Cox is now the Governor of Ohio. With the most auspicious ceremonies ever attending the inauguration of an Ohio Governor, the reins of government were passed into his hands shortly before noon Monday by Governor Judson Harmon, and a few minutes later he was sworn into office by John H. Sheck, Chief Justice of the Ohio Supreme Court. Accompanied by his mother and daughter, Helen, Governor Cox and his party attended the inaugural ball after holding a reception.

Laces.

We have our spring line of val, tureen and linen laces. Special sale next Saturday, Jan. 18—Regular 5c yard lace—Saturday 3 yds for 10c. Less than manufacturer's price. This is your opportunity to lay in a supply for spring sewing. The Fair.

Ewes for Sale.

I have for sale 50 nice ewes, due to lamb March 1st.

A. S. Bridges, Phone 662-y R. F. D. No. 2.

Fowls dressed to order. 28-2t. E. T. Hon & Co.

NOTICE

All Accounts Due Me

that are not paid on or before January 25, 1913, will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Please settle at once and save yourself this embarrassment.

Geo. W. Anderson, Jr.

Blankets - Blankets

Our entire stock of Woolen Blankets will be placed on sale and sold at

Actual Cost

If you are in need of a Long Coat now is the time to buy. Our entire stock at cost and some below cost

Furs at a Big Reduction

J. D. HAZELRIGG & SON
Carpets Lace Curtains Linoleums

Write Ideas for Moving Picture Plays

YOU CAN WRITE PHOTO PLAYS AND EARN \$25.00 OR MORE WEEKLY

We Will Show You How

If you have ideas—if you can THINK—we will show you the secrets of this fascinating new profession. Positively no experience or literary excellence necessary. No "flowery language" is wanted.

The demand for photoplays is practically unlimited. The big film manufacturers are "moving heaven and earth" in their attempts to get enough good plots to supply the ever increasing demand. They are offering \$100 and more for single scenarios, or written ideas.

Nearly all the big film companies, the buyers of photoplays, are located in or near NEW YORK CITY. Being right on the spot, and knowing at all times just what sort of plots are wanted by the producers, our SALES DEPARTMENT has a tremendous advantage over agencies situated in distant cities.

We have received many letters from the big film manufacturers, such as VITAGRAPH, EDISON, ESSANAY, LUBIN, SOLAX, IMP, REX, RELIANCE, CHAMPION, COMET, MELIES, ETC., urging us to send photoplays to them. We want more writers and we'll gladly teach you the secrets of success.

We are selling photoplays written by people who "never before wrote a line for publication."

Perhaps we can do the same for you. If you can think of only one good idea every week, and will write it out as directed by us, and it sells for only \$25, a low figure,

You Will Earn \$100.00 Monthly for Spare Time Work.

FREE Send your name and address at once for free copy of our illustrated book, "MOVING PICTURE PLAYWRITING."

Don't hesitate. Don't argue. Write NOW and learn just what this new profession may mean for you and your future.

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Nature in Mid-Winter.

June, crowned with roses, and October with her riot of color, have their messages. But in the silence and whiteness of mid-winter Nature is seen in her most haunting way. The great snow world is unrelieved in its dazzling whiteness save for the faintly traced tracks of a rabbit, the tracery of bullrushes or reeds, and a blush of pink at sunset. The silent lake locked in by brooding hills, presents a sober stretch of pallid ice. The barren elm trees whisper titanic secrets in the winter twilight. The branches of the firs and yews are laden down with clods of snow. Each little twig and stalk along the wayside is a crystal wand as if the magic hand of Jack Frost had suddenly transformed it into silver. Hedgerows, gateposts and stubble take on fantastic shapes. Through the arched boughs of the trees you look upon a vignette of purple skies, white plumes and brown fretwork. The world has taken on nun's veiling and has gone into retreat, maybe in preparation for the resurrection soon to come. Nature is a vestal virgin, thoughtful and silent. In the village churchyard the snow fairies are covering with a white mantle the low mounds even as the birds covered with leaves the soft forms of the babes in the woods.—Collier's Weekly.

Excellent Farm and City Property for Sale.

I offer for sale privately the following: My modern new residence on West High street, also lot adjoining, which is 75 feet front and 300 feet deep. My farm near Grassy Lick, consisting of 188 acres of land in high state of cultivation, can also be bought well worth the money.

131f Mrs. Mary A. McClure.
For Sale Privately.
My residence on North Maysville street.
Henry R. Prewitt.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

A Nightcap.

Let our last thought of the evening be one of thanksgiving that, in the few hours of the day now ending, so much good will has been shown to us. There have been well-wishers, ready to further every effort of our hands and responsive to each impulse of our friendliness. We have received much kindness within a little time. It is not permitted us to doubt the good in all men when those whom we know have helped us to happiness. Let us be glad of the peaceful home—the shelter itself shutting out the night of storm—and the loyalty of the comrades, housed with us from the loneliness of life, giving of their steady affection. Let us be comforted, knowing that we shall sleep in peace, forgiven for our shortcomings, and that we shall waken to work and the fresh chances of the morning, with failure forgotten and the scene newly set for our endeavor.—Collier's Weekly.

For Sale.

Meister piano in first class condition, mahogany case. Ford Touring Car, 1912 model, run less than one year. Can be bought worth the money.

Apply at this office.
Stop That Ache!
Any ache or pain in any part of the body can be relieved with Shipp's Quick Relief Liniment. \$1.00 reward if it fails and the purchase price is not refunded. Try it see. 50c At All Druggists.

For Sale Privately.
My property on Spring street, consisting of 2 acres of land, good 5-room residence, barn and all necessary out buildings. Never-failing spring in yard.
28-1f. M. F. Hinson.

STAND BY THE OLD TOWN.

If you like the old town best,
Tell 'em so!
If you'd have her lead the rest,
Help her grow!
When there's anything to do
Let the fellows count on you;
You'll feel bully when it's through
Don't you know.
If you want to make a hit,
Get a name!
If the other fellow's it,
Who's to blame?
Spend your money in the town
Where you pull the shekels down;
Give the mail concern a frown—
That's the game!
If you're use to giving knocks,
Change your style!
Throw bouquets instead of rocks
For awhile!
Let the other fellow roast;
Shun him as you would a ghost;
Meet his hammer with a boast
And a smile.
When a stranger from afar
Comes along,
Tell him who and what we are—
Make it strong.
Needn't flatter, never bluff;
Tell the truth, for that's enough.
Join the boosters—they're the stuff.
We belong.

Transfer Wagon.

I am prepared to do all kinds of hauling. For prompt delivery to and from trains, phone 321.
9-1f Geo. W. Anderson.

Dr. W. B. Robinson

Elected Secretary-Treasurer.
Dr. W. B. Robinson, our popular Veterinarian, was at the meeting of the Kentucky Veterinary Medical Association, held at Lexington last week, elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Association. Other officers elected were: Dr. C. A. Miller, of Louisville, President; Dr. S. F. Musselman, of Cynthiana, 1st Vice President; Dr. L. M. Land, of Lexington, 2d Vice President. Many interesting subjects were discussed and the meeting was both enjoyable and instructive.

New pancake and buckwheat flour at Vanarsdell's.

TRUTH TRIUMPHS

Mt. Sterling Citizens Testify for Public Benefit.

A truthful statement of a Mt. Sterling citizen, given in her own words, should convince the most skeptical about the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills. If you suffer from backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, urinary disorders of any form of kidney ills, use a tested kidney medicine.

A Mt. Sterling citizen tells of Doan's Kidney Pills.
Could you demand more convincing proof of merit?

Mrs. Laura Willoughby, 17 Strother Street, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "It is a pleasure to tell of my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills as they always give entire satisfaction. I had pains through my back and kidneys and at times I was dizzy and nervous. At night I was restless and mornings was weak and tired. A neighbor advised the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a supply from Duerson's Drug Store and their use gave me great relief. I now feel better in every way."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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A beautiful line of initial paper in stock.

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Transfer and Carriage.

I have carriage and transfer wagon to meet all trains. Phone 21 or 337.

37-1f. WILL BEAN.

Huyler's delicious candies can be had at Geiger's Pharmacy, Sole Agent.

For Sale.

A solid walnut wardrobe in good condition. Apply at this office.

ROUND THE GLOBE

Holland has no jury trial system. Colombia finds its alligators a pest. London has 170,000 pupils in night schools.

Greater New York has 1,019 more men than women.

Portsmouth is the most strongly fortified point in England.

Importation of champagne is on the decline, and that of beer is increasing. Los Angeles is driving out "matrimonial bureaus" as socially undesirable.

Colorado's 1912 fruit crop is valued at \$6,000,000. In 1890 it was worth \$680,078.

Advertisers have purchased Spion Kop battlefield, South Africa, for a mission farm.

Washington complains that business is fast encroaching on residential districts.

Missouri's new capitol building, to be erected in Jefferson City, will cost \$2,230,127.

American college bred men are said to be shunning the ministry because of low salaries.

United States railroads this year were made subject to forty-eight new laws in the various states.

Gambling is prohibited throughout Spain, even in the most aristocratic clubs.

Under certain conditions, local authorities in Prussia are permitted to tax incomes below \$250 a year.

Open air physical culture classes for the free instruction of women and girls are held every Sunday in Berlin.

The French government has placed an increased tax upon signboards in the hope of decreasing their number.

Japan's new battleship, the cruiser Kongo, has a displacement of 27,500 tons. Its length is 704 feet, its breadth 92 feet.

W. W. Glass of Columbia, Mo., has presented Abraham Lincoln's school dictionary to the Missouri State Historical society.

Poor's Manual for 1912 shows that in the fiscal year 1911 American railroads earned an average of 5.18 per cent on capital stock.

During the last twenty years land in the United Kingdom devoted to farming has decreased by more than 500,000 acres.

Kilkenny castle is one of the oldest inhabited houses in the world, many of the rooms being much as they were 800 years ago.

The Japanese, besides drinking 210,000,000 gallons of sake or rice wine in one year, have in addition disposed of 7,000,000 gallons of beer.

The International Aluminium syndicate has fixed the price of the metal for next year's delivery at \$380 per metric ton of 2,204.62 pounds.

Practically all of the jade now mined comes from Burma, though New Zealand is a producer of some note. China takes practically the entire output.

President C. F. Thwing of Western Reserve university has secured for Cleveland the meeting next March of the Religious Education association. There'll be 1,500 delegates.

There are now 950 athletic organizations in Bohemia, with a membership of nearly 100,000, including 15,000 women. The athletic movement has developed almost entirely since 1871.

Reports from Germany say that the stork is disappearing. Naturalists have been investigating the cause of the stork's disappearance, and peasants have been encouraged to build nests for the birds and supply them with food.

Large districts in the far east formerly planted in tobacco are now being planted in rubber trees and as a consequence no lower prices for tobacco are looked for. Land for tobacco growing can be used only one-fourth of the time and must be left idle for the remainder.

A French author, quoted by the Gas World, points out that there is room for improvement in the manufacture of gas mantles. What is wanted is uniformity rather than durability. At present, he says, the difference in lighting power among mantles from the same batch may amount to 40 per cent.

The rhinoceros beetle, which came to the island of Apia, Samoa, three years ago, destroying the coconuts, has increased in number despite the efforts made for its suppression. It is estimated that in the infested district 50 per cent of the coconut trees are affected. 20 per cent have been set back in bearing and 3 per cent killed.

With the completion of a seven story building Tokyo is able to boast of the first skyscraper in its history. The structure, begun in January, 1910, was but recently completed. It is considered fire and earthquake proof. It was designed for offices and is especially noteworthy because it is probably the highest of its kind in the far east.

Dust from the tail of Halley's comet, according to a French astronomer, is responsible for the coronas that have frequently been seen around the moon in perfectly clear weather ever since May 19, 1911. The angular size of a corona depends upon the size of the solid or liquid particles in the air which diffract the light. The smaller these particles the larger the corona.

Dried and smoked abalone meat, most of which is cured at southern California fishing ports, is purchased by oriental importers at fancy prices. Occasionally it sells for \$300 a ton. In some instances divers are employed to procure the mollusks, and it is not uncommon for an experienced man to bring to the surface two tons of meat and shells in a day.

Indigestion

causes heartburn, sour stomach, nervousness, nausea, impure blood, and more trouble than many different kinds of diseases. The food you eat ferments in your stomach, and the poisons it forms are absorbed into your whole system, causing many distressing symptoms. At the first sign of indigestion, try

Thedford's Black-Draught

the old, reliable, vegetable liver powder, to quickly cleanse your system from these undesirable poisons.

Mrs. Riley Laramore, of Goodwater, Mo., says: "I suffered for years from dyspepsia and heartburn. Thedford's Black-Draught, in small doses, cured my heartburn in a few days, and now I can eat without distress." Try it.

Insist on Thedford's

Still Near The Bottom.

In a comparative study of State school systems made by the Russell Sage Foundation, Kentucky is assigned forty-second place in general efficiency among the forty-eight States of the Union.

In current expenditure per child of school age Kentucky ranks fortieth; in average value of school property, thirty-eighth; in average percentage of attendance, fortieth; in average annual salary of teachers, thirty-third. The average percentage of attendance in Kentucky is 63.7. The average annual salary of teachers is \$337. Kentucky provides fifty-seven days of schooling per year for every child in the State.

These are some of the facts gleaned from a New York dispatch telling of the study made by the Russell Sage Foundation. It is well that we should occasionally "see ourselves as others see us." It is by comparison that we may best take note of our progress and the showing that is made by Kentucky in this exhibit of American school systems is not such as to give us pleasure or pride.

It seems hardly believable that Kentucky, one of the oldest States of the Union, should be behind so many other Commonwealths in educational advancement, but that such is the case was fully established, even before the existence of the Russell Sage Foundation. This latest report, therefore, comes in the nature of cumulative evidence. It merely emphasizes the necessity of accelerating the educational campaign.

The people of Kentucky need some forcible reminders, once in a while, of the low school status. This Russell Sage Foundation report comes within that category and may in that sense be helpful, but it is not to be classed as desirable advertising for the Commonwealth.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

LOST—Leather suit case between National Hotel and about two miles out on the Maysville pike. Liberal reward for return to this office.



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Come and look over our stock before buying elsewhere. We are sure we can please you. Always the BEST from

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Best and most modern equipped salesroom in the State. Lighted by electricity, has elevator and hydraulic press operated by electric current. Floor will hold 250,000 pounds daily. Due announcement will be made of first sale. Plenty of buyers and highest prices secured.

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A. B. RATLIFF, Vice President

D. W. RATCLIFFE, General Manager

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Blue Grass League Puts Blanton At Head

Popular Frankfort "fan" Chosen President By Unanimous Vote.

At the meeting of the directors of the Blue Grass League, held in the offices of the Lexington Baseball Club Thursday afternoon, Albert Blanton, of Frankfort, was selected President of the Blue Grass League in 1913, succeeding William Neal, of Louisville, who resigned as President of the league when he was elected general Secretary of the Louisville Association club several months ago, but kindly consented to hold on until proper consideration could be given to his successor.

At the meeting the Lexington club was represented by Messrs. Thomas Sheets and Hogan Yancey; Maysville by Messrs. Thos. Russell and T. M. Summers, and Frankfort by Mr. A. B. Coleman. The other three clubs Richmond, Mt. Sterling and Paris, did not have representatives present, but sent by telegraph their votes for Mr. Blanton, making the election unanimous. Business pressure was given as reasons for inability to attend.

Mr. Blanton was not present to take charge of the ceremonies after his election and the meeting was adjourned subject to his call. He will probably call a meeting within the next two weeks for the purpose of further completing the organization for the coming year. Among the business matters to come up at the next meeting will be the election of a treasurer to act with Mr. Blanton in the administration of the affairs of the league, the selection of the official ball, the determination of the exact extent and size of the circuit, the posting of guarantees by the various clubs, and the beginning of arrangements for the schedule.

Mr. Blanton is a well-known business man of Frankfort and was popular all around the circuit last year. He is an ardent fan and knows baseball.

New Five Cent Coins Coming.

The design of the new nickel, the creation of J. E. Fraser, the artist of New York, has been accepted by Secretary MacVeagh, of the Treasury Department, to replace the 5-cent piece that has been in circulation for many years. Within a week, George E. Roberts director of the mint will order its coinage and it probably will be in circulation shortly after February 1. On one side of the new coin is the reproduction of the head of an Indian. At the top is the word "Liberty," and at the bottom is the year 1913. On the other side appears the figure of a buffalo, closely associated with the history of the red man, and the denomination of the coin, "5 cents." The design is severely simple, and is regarded by Treasury officials as one of the most artistic pieces of money ever turned out.

HOW TO RESIST

Chronic Coughs and Colds.

Strong, vigorous men and women hardly ever catch cold; it's only when the system is run down and vitality low that colds and coughs get a foothold.

Now isn't it reasonable that the right way to cure a cough is to build up your strength again?

Mrs. Olivia Parham, of East Durham, N. C., says: "I took Vinol for a chronic cough which had lasted two years, and the cough not only disappeared, but it built up my strength as well."

The reason Vinol is so efficacious in such cases is because it contains a delicious concentrated form of all the medicinal curative elements of cod liver oil, with tonic, blood-building iron added.

Chronic coughs and colds yield to Vinol because it builds up the weakened, run-down system.

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Money.

The year closed with the cost of living at about the highest mark in a quarter of a century. The highest point reached in the year was very near one hundred per cent. over the lowest point reached in the lowest year within this generation. That was 1896. But this is a little misleading. The average for the last three years has been only about fifty per cent. higher than the average of the three lowest years, from 1895 to 1897. But fifty per cent. means a good deal to the man with a nearly fixed wage. It means, for example, that an income of \$600 a year fifteen years ago was as good as an income of \$900 a year now. Actually, there was far more saving then, for a period of rapidly rising prices always means an era of wild speculation and extravagant ways of living. Thrift is at a discount. This is the moral aspect of an inflated and depreciating currency, for an inflated and depreciating currency is exactly what rising prices mean, and nothing more. Many able men thought in the first Bryan campaign for example, that a gold standard would give us a dollar of stable value. This it has utterly failed to do.—Collier's Weekly.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well. 1m

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First floor of my residence on Antwerp Avenue. Four nice rooms, gas, electric light, hot and cold water. Phone 204. 28-11. Mrs. Mary Schlegel.

I have all my accounts made out and would appreciate it if you would call and settle if you are indebted to me.

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NO CARD PLAYING IN CHILE

Woman Visitor to America From That Country Shocked at the Custom Here.

A woman who is a native of Chile was talking recently about the difficulty she had in accustoming herself to card playing among women when she came to this country.

"In Chile card playing among women is undreamed of. Perhaps it is not too much to say that a Chilean would no more play cards than a New York woman would enter a Broadway saloon. It isn't that it is exactly, or wholly, a matter of morals with us. It just isn't the thing to do. It is not conventional. When I came to New York I brought my daughter-in-law with me, a Chilean girl. She and I were both horribly shocked to receive an invitation to a bridge party in the day time. It was too much for us and we declined," says the New York Post. "Other similar invitations came, and kept coming. Finally, our curiosity got the best of us and we went to one of these affairs. Even after we got over our sense of outraged convention the whole thing seemed curious to us. The funniest sight of all was the women with little tags on them, as if marked 'by fast express,' or running up to another woman with a little card to be 'punched.' Finally, we got sufficiently accustomed to 'take a hand,' but even yet I never do it without a covert feeling that I am putting myself beyond the pale."

Pure country sorghum at Vandersell's.

THE DUMB WAITER

It Played a Low Down Trick on the Master of the House.

A HOT TIME ON A COLD NIGHT.

The Trouble Was the Direct Result of a Thirsty Man's Craving For Drink and His Dogged Persistence in Attempting to Satisfy It.

One of the old time humorous writers was "Sparrowgrass," and the following account of his adventure with a dumb waiter gives a good idea of his amusing style:

One evening Mrs. S. had retired, and I was busy writing when it struck me a glass of ice water would be palatable. So I took the candle and a pitcher and went down to the pump. Our pump is in the kitchen. A country pump in the kitchen is more convenient, but a well with buckets is certainly most picturesque. Unfortunately our well water has not been sweet since it was cleaned out.

First I had to open a bolted door that lets you into the basement hall, and then I went to the kitchen door, which proved to be locked. Then I remembered that our girl always carried the key to bed with her and slept with it under her pillow. Then I retraced my steps, bolted the basement door and went up into the dining room. As is always the case, I found when I could not get any water I was thirstier than I supposed I was. Then I thought I would wake our girl up. Then I concluded not to do it. Then I thought of the well, but I gave that up on account of its flavor. Then I opened the closet doors. There was no water there. Then I thought of the dumb waiter! The novelty of the idea made me smile. I took out two of the movable shelves, stood the pitcher on the bottom of the dumb waiter, got in myself with the lamp, let myself down until I supposed I was within a foot of the floor below and then let go.

We came down so suddenly that I was shot out of the apparatus as if it had been a catapult. It broke the pitcher, extinguished the lamp and landed me in the middle of the kitchen at midnight, with no fire and the air not much above the zero point. The truth is I had miscalculated the distance of the descent. Instead of falling one foot, I had fallen five. My first impulse was to ascend by the way I came down, but I found that impracticable. Then I tried the kitchen door. It was locked. I tried to force it open. It was made of two inch stuff and held its own. Then I holstered a window, and there were the rigid iron bars. If I ever felt angry at anybody it was at myself for putting up those bars to please Mrs. Sparrowgrass. I put them up not to keep people in, but to keep people out.

I laid my cheek against the ice cold barriers and looked at the sky. Not a star was visible. It was as black as ink overhead. Then I made a noise. I shouted until I was hoarse and ruined our preserving kettle with the poker. That brought our dogs out in full bark, and between us we made the night hideous. Then I thought I heard a voice and listened. It was Mrs. Sparrowgrass calling to me from the top of the staircase. I tried to make her hear me, but the infernal dogs mated with howl and growl and bark, so as to drown my voice, which is naturally plaintive and tender. Besides, there were two bolted doors and double deafened floors between us. How could she recognize my voice, even if she did hear it?

Mr. Sparrowgrass called once or twice and then got frightened. The next thing I heard was a sound as if the roof had fallen in, by which I understood that Mrs. Sparrowgrass was springing the rattle! That called out our neighbor, already wide awake. He came to the rescue with a bull terrier, a Newfoundland pup, a lantern and a revolver. The moment he saw me at the window he shot at me, but fortunately just missed me. I threw myself under the kitchen table and ventured to expostulate with him, but he would not listen to reason. In the excitement I had forgotten his name, and that made matters worse. It was not until he had roused up everybody around, broken in the basement door with an ax, got into the kitchen with his cursed savage dogs and shooting iron and seized me by the collar that he recognized me, and then he wanted me to explain it! But what kind of an explanation could I make to him? I told him he would have to wait until my mind was composed and then I would let him understand the matter fully.

Thrift.

Tonnal—Eh, you was a powerful dees-course on "Thrift" ye preached the Sabbath. Tother—Ah'm glad ye wore able to profit—Tonnal—Profit! Why, mon, I would have sloshed me sumpence into the plate w/out a thought if it had not been for your providential words—they saved me fourpence there and then!—London Opinion.

The Miracle.

Woodland—What is the difference between a wonder and a miracle? Lorain—Well, if you'd touch me for \$5 and I'd lend it to you it would be a wonder. Woodland—That's so. Lorain—And if you returned it that would be a miracle.

Laughter is day, and sobriety is night. A smile is the twilight that hovers gently between both, more bewitching than either.—H. W. Beecher.

THE Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company

TIME OF TRAINS AT MT. STERLING

In Effect November 21, 1912

(Subject to change without notice)

LEAVE	For and From	ARRIVE
x 7:12 a. m.	Louisville	x 12:46 a. m.
x 3:47 p. m.	Louisville	x 9:46 p. m.
x 5:50 a. m.	Lexington	x 8:44 a. m.
x 2:08 p. m.	Lexington	x 7:10 p. m.
x 9:30 a. m.	Rothwell	x 1:55 p. m.
x 12:46 p. m.	New York (Washington)	x 7:12 a. m.
x 9:46 p. m.	Norfolk (Richmond)	x 3:47 p. m.
x 8:44 a. m.	Hinton	

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Effective December 29, 1912.

Lexington & Eastern Railway Company

Western Division

East-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 2 Daily P. M.	No. 4 Daily A. M.
Lv. Lexington	1:35	7:05
" Winchester	2:17	7:47
" L. & E. Junction	2:35	8:06
" Clay City	3:05	8:36
" Campton Junction	3:47	9:15
" Torrent	4:04	9:32
" Beattyville Junction	4:25	9:52
" Athol	4:57	10:24
" O. & K. Junction	5:29	10:57
" Jackson	5:55	11:05
Ar. Quicksand		11:25

West-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3 Daily P. M.
Lv. Quicksand	1:25	
Lv. Jackson	1:50	
" O. & K. Junction	1:57	
" Athol	2:29	
" Beattyville Junction	3:00	
" Torrent	3:21	
" Campton Junction	3:39	
" Clay City	4:15	
" L. & E. Junction	4:47	
" Winchester	5:00	
Ar. Lexington	5:45	

Eastern Division

STATIONS	No. 6 Daily Ex. Sun.	No. 5 Daily Ex. Sun.
12:05 p. m.	Jackson	12:50 p. m.
12:28 " "	Haddix	12:28 " "
1:03 " "	Whick	11:59 a. m.
1:46 " "	Krypton	11:16 " "
2:46 " "	Hazard	10:20 " "
5:38 " "	Whitesburg	7:28 " "
7:00 " "	McRoberts	6:00 " "

CONNECTIONS.

Train No. 4 arrives at Quicksand, a station on the L. & E. Extension, at 11:25 a. m. and train No. 3 leaves Quicksand for Jackson at 11:25 p. m.

LEXINGTON—Train No. 1 will make connection at Lexington with the L. & N. for Louisville, Ky. No. 3 will make connection with the L. & N. at Winchester for Cincinnati, O.

CAMPTON JUNCTION—Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 will make connection with Mountain Central Ry. to and from Campton, Ky.

BEATTYVILLE JUNCTION—Trains Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will make connection with the L. & A. Railway to and from Beattyville.

O. & K. JUNCTION—Train No. 3, daily, and No. 4, daily except Sunday, will make connection with O. & K. Railway for Cannel City and O. & K. stations.

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Cottage	\$1,275
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2-Story Residence	3,000
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2-Story Residence	4,000
Cottage	4,000
Cottage	3,900

Farm	\$100 per acre
Farm	125 "
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Farm	100 "
Farm	110 "
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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We are authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates before the State Primary, August 2, 1913, subject to the action of the Democratic party, to-wit:

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
WILLIAM O. CHENAULT, SR.
FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK
KELLER GREENE
WM. A. SAMUELS
FOR ASSESSOR
W. B. GREENE

MR. W. B. GREENE.

Mr. W. B. Greene wants the people of Montgomery county to know that he has an ambition to serve them in the capacity of Assessor.

For many years Mr. Greene has been a stock buyer and by his fair dealing and generous treatment has proven himself to be the farmers' friend. As his business has called him to every farm in the county, there are few men, if any, better acquainted with the relative value and condition of Montgomery county lands.

The office of Assessor, in many respects, the most important county office and one of the hardest to capably fill, facts which few of us seem to fully appreciate and all often ignore.

In addition to his wide acquaintance with people and property of the county, Mr. Greene is a man of honesty, firmness and good judgment and having long been a loyal partyman, he confidently places his claims before his fellow-Democrats and asks their favorable consideration.

On next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Democrats of the various precincts of Kentucky, will assemble at their usual voting places and select Committeemen to serve them for the ensuing term.

It is true that the Committee will be of little importance since the enactment of the State Primary Law, being serviceable chiefly in the regular elections, after the nominations are made. The State Primary Law governs every step that can be taken in the coming primary, even to the selection of election officers, hence prospective candidates have nothing to fear in the future from Committees or Committeemen; nevertheless, we agree with the Sentinel-Democrat that only good men should be chosen—clean, wide-awake Democrats. We have lots of them and they should be drafted and urged to serve for the good of the party.

We are in receipt of the first copy of the Madisonian a new paper just started at Richmond and edited by Grant E. Lilly. It is a nice, clean, newsy sheet and we wish the Madisonian success.

About every other Democrat thinks he is a natural-born postmaster.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

" 'Tis true 'tis pity; And pity 'tis 'tis true. "

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JEWELERS

Former Mt. Sterling Citizen Passes Away in Missouri

The following article was taken from a Rich Hill, Missouri, paper of recent date:

"Samuel S. Davis, an aged and highly respected citizen, died at his home on West Olive street on Tuesday afternoon, having been seriously ill for several weeks suffering from cancer of the submaxillary gland. He bore his suffering patiently until death brought relief.

The funeral was held from his late residence Thursday morning. Rev. J. A. Hughes preached the sermon in which he paid a high tribute to the deceased. The remains were taken overland, followed by sorrowing relatives and friends, to Harwood where the body was interred in Evergreen cemetery beside his wife who died nine years ago.

Samuel S. Davis was born at Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 8, 1835. He was married to Miss Emily T. Nelson on October 2, 1861. To their union twelve children were born, five of whom are dead. The surviving children are: H. R. Davis, of Clagstone, Idaho; Mrs. P. S. Powell, of Norwata, Okla.; J. P. Davis, of Walker, Mo.; Mrs. O. N. Reeve, of Pueblo, Col.; and Misses Mary R., Lula E. and E. S. Davis, of Rich Hill.

In 1872 Mr. Davis and his family came to Missouri and settled on a farm near Walker, Vernon county. He there resided until 1895 when he and the members of his family who still lived under the parental roof removed to this city.

He was an active member of the Christian church. He was an honorable and upright man and his ideas of good government was of a high order. Men of his character are needed in every community.

Mr. Davis had many relatives in this county who will be grieved to learn of his death.

New shelled nuts at Vanarsdell's

Capital, \$50,000

Surplus and Profits, \$80,000

"To save time, is to lengthen life,"
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one's enjoyment of life during honor-
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Breathitt People After Perjurors.

The Civic Betterment of Breathitt County League held its third meeting in the Knights of Pythias Hall at Jackson Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., under the auspices of the Pythians and pursuant to adjournment of Sunday week. Strong speeches of commendation were made upon the declaration of Judge J. M. Benton in announcing that the doors of the Clark county grand jury were open for a rigid investigation of perjury and subordination of perjury. They condemned without reservation the crime of the assassination of Ed. Callahan and deplored the stigma placed on Breathitt county citizens by lawlessness, which each speaker charged that the whole of the country must share.

Recipe for a good laugh—see "Mr. Bob" at the Tabb Thursday night. Admission 35 cents, reserved seats 50 cents, now on sale at Mt. Sterling Drug Co.

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HEALTH ARTICLE.

Written expressly for the ADVOCATE by a
Practicing Physician.

PNEUMONIA.

There are many varieties, which are named from the anatomical parts affected, and from the causes. The varieties are of little importance to the public. The object of this "write-up" is to explain the seriousness of pneumonia and to suggest a few methods by which it may be prevented, to a great extent.

From 1 to 6 and 65 years of age and over, the death rate is very large, estimated at from 25 to 60 per cent. by different observers. Males are more frequently attacked than females. The death rate is from 50 to 100 % more in colored than in white. The disease is more common in cities than in rural districts by 50 per cent.

People who are debilitated, have low vitality, take alcoholic stimulants or are subjected to marked atmospheric changes are more liable to the disease. The percentage of recurrence is 30 or higher. Injuries to the chest will also cause pneumonia.

As a preventative, keep dwelling

well ventilated, not too hot; leave window down some at the top and up at the bottom at all times. Avoid the cold atmosphere immediately after bathing or while hot or perspiring. Avoid wet feet. Wear clothing according to the weather—add to or reduce. See that the general health is in good order. Have colds and sore throat and catarrh treated.

The symptoms of pneumonia are generally headache, chills, pain in the chest, high fever, but frequently pneumonia follows colds, acute catarrhs, etc., which have continued for a week or two.

The treatment: A physician to assist in avoiding complications by watching the heart's action, the excretory organs and the general system. Plenty fresh air, not draught. Too many die for the need of fresh air, even with a physician. Fresh air, sunshine, pure water, exercise and regulated habits and diet, assisted when necessary by the proper kinds of medicines and surgery, constitute the only cures for all kinds of disease.

Fresh Fish.

Fresh caught fish Tuesday and Saturday.

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Store To Move.

Mr. J. W. Baber will on February 1st, move his furniture store from the corner of Main and Bank streets to the building now occupied by Mr. Ed. L. William the Contractor next to the office of the Kentucky Utilities Co. Mr. William will occupy the building now occupied by Mr. Baber.

Mr. C. B. Fizer will also have his repair shop in connection with Mr. Baber's furniture store.

Accidents will happen, but the best-regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts. 1m

Don't fail to see "Mr. Bob" at the Tabb Thursday night. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

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18.00 garment cut to	12.50
15.00 garment cut to	10.00
12.50 garment cut to	8.50
10.00 garment cut to	7.50
8.00 garment cut to	6.50

Men's Odd Pants

\$6.00 Pants cut to	\$4.50
5.00 Pants cut to	3.98

4.00 Pants cut to	2.98
3.50 Pants cut to	2.75
2.50 Pants cut to	1.75
2.00 Pants cut to	1.48
1.50 Pants cut to	1.15
1.00 Pants cut to	.75

Boys' Suits and Overcoats

\$15.00 garment cut to	\$10.00
12.50 garment cut to	8.50
10.00 garment cut to	7.50
8.00 garment cut to	6.48
7.50 garment cut to	5.50
6.00 garment cut to	4.50
5.00 garment cut to	3.75
4.00 garment cut to	2.75
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PERSONAL.

Mr. C. C. McDonald spent Monday in Lexington.

Mr. Ed Grubbs, of Winchester, was in this city Tuesday.

Sheriff W. F. Crooks was in Lexington Monday on business.

Mr. Roy Tucker, of Winchester, was a caller in this city Sunday.

Mr. C. T. Evans, of Winchester, was a caller in this city Tuesday.

Mr. G. B. Seff spent Sunday with relatives in Woodford county.

Messrs. Seth Botts and Harry Hadden spent Sunday in Winchester.

Mrs. Chas. Heck, of Paris, is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. C. C. Douglas, of Lexington, Ill., is here visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Mattie C. Triplett and Kathleen McCabe are visiting in Lexington.

Miss Emerald Judy is the guest of Miss Florence Ray Evans in Winchester.

William P. Welsh, of Cleveland, O., is visiting Mrs. J. M. Conroy and the Misses King.

Mr. J. C. Ricketts, of Bellevue, Mo., is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Ricketts.

Messrs. Frank Wyatt, Jackson Stoffer and Jas. Porter attended the performance, of the "Pink Lady" at Lexington Monday night.

Mr. Clayton Howell was in Lexington Monday night and Tuesday and attended the performance of "The Pink Lady" Monday night.

Miss Elizabeth Perry will leave Saturday for New York to spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. N. Trimble McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Terry and child have returned to their home at South Boston, Va., after a visit to Dr. A. B. Stoops, Mrs. Terry's father.

Mrs. Hugh F. Minns and little son, Neal B., of Morristown, Tenn., will arrive today for a visit

to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. White.

Mr. H. R. Bright, wife and family left Monday for Van Dorn, Ala., where they expect to make their future home. They have the best wishes of many friends.

Mr. T. J. Tonkin, Jr., and sister, Miss Mildred, left Tuesday for a visit to Toledo and Bellvue, Ohio. Mr. Tonkin will be gone about two weeks but Miss Mildred will remain about two months.

\$1.98.
Ladies' Sample Shoes.
200 pair ladies sample shoes, regular \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes for \$1.98 cash. Sizes 24 to 34. First come, first served. See Maysville street window for display.

Punch, Graves & Co.
2-Big Stores-2

RELIGIOUS

These interesting subjects will be presented by the pastor next Sunday at the Methodist Church. At 10:45, "What Is Man?" 7:00, "Paul's Philosophy of Human Life." Come and hear the discussions of these vitally important and interesting themes. A cordial welcome to all.

The regular union meeting of the Christian Endeavor was held at the Christian Church last Tuesday night. This was an important meeting, for after the regular program was carried out a business meeting was held to arrange for the State Convention which is to be held here next May.

No You Don't.

You never hear any of J. B. White's customers complaining about the high cost of living. Why? Because they are getting good family flour at \$2.40 per sack, best granulated sugar at 54c per pound, dry salt bacon at 12c per pound, fresh ground coffee at 20c per pound and so on down the line, for cash.

DEATHS.

Edna, the 18-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore died Monday afternoon at the home of her parents on the Maysville pike, death being caused by pneumonia. She was a bright, winsome little girl and her parents have the sympathy of many friends in the loss of their child.

BIRTHS.

Born to the wife of Mr. T. Badger Robertson (nee Miss Gladys Samuels) Sunday morning, January 5, 1913, a fine ten pound son. The young gentleman has been named A. R. Robertson, Jr., for his paternal grandparent.

For Sale.
I have for sale a nice lot of sugar cane. Will deliver same.
E. H. Moss.
26-1f Phone 693-a Mt. Sterling, Ky.

THE SICK.

Miss Nellie Frazier is quite sick with typhoid fever.

The condition of Perry Henson remains about the same.

Mrs. A. B. White is ill at her home on East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Stephens remain about the same as last week.

Mr. John W. White is quite sick at his residence on Main street.

Little Helen Redmond, who has been quite sick for several weeks, is about well again.

Mrs. Jno. H. Blount, who has been quite sick for some weeks past, is some better.

Miss Nelle Wyatt, who has been quite sick for some time past, remains about the same.

Mr. G. P. Douglas, of the Levee neighborhood, who has been quite sick, is very much improved.

Mrs. Maggie Young, who underwent an operation in Louisville a few days ago, is improving nicely.

News has just been received here from Mrs. Abe Sutton that she fell and badly broke her arm at her home in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Sutton, who formerly lived here, has many friends who will regret to hear of her accident.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

On Friday afternoon, January 10th, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in the annex of the Christian Church, "Trimble's Loyal Women" Bible Class gave a reception in honor of their teacher, B. W. Trimble. The invited guests were the Home Department of the class and officers and teachers of the school.

Owing to the rain and inclement weather the attendance was smaller than otherwise it would have been. The enrollment was seventy-two. The refreshments consisted of sandwiches, coffee, chocolate and mints. Cut flowers adorned the room.

The class which Mr. Trimble has taught for several years, was organized and named on July 1st with 32 charter members. During the past six months the average attendance has been 42. Additions have increased the enrollment on January 1st to 70.

In addition to this regular class there is the Home Department which began its work on the first Sunday in July, 1912, with 75 members. The membership on the first Sunday in January, 1913, was 100—not including 5 members who have died. Six other members have joined the class during January, and one member has died.

Changes Position.

Mr. Dorsey Feehan, who has been working for Oldham Bros., has resigned his position and accepted a similar one with the Louisville Store, owned by Col. S. M. Newmeyer.

For Sale.

A nice improved place of 20 acres on Levee pike 24 miles from Mt. Sterling. E. H. Moss.
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To the Ladies.

I have rented the front room up stairs in the Jordan building and am prepared to do all kinds of stamping work. Embroidery lessons.
Miss Julia Clark.
27-3f

We have just slaughtered two of the fattest heifers ever killed for home consumption. Don't fail to get a few of the choice cuts.
E. T. Hon & Co.

Reserved seats now on sale for "Mr. Bob" at Mt. Sterling Drug Co., 50 cents, general admission 35 cents.

Real country sausage at Vanarsdell's.

"The Servant in the House."

Katherine Tingley, the head of 150,000 members of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical Society of the World, and who first introduced the open air Greek Theatre in America, was in Portland, Maine, recently, during the engagement of "The Servant in the House" in that city. She was asked by the editor of the Portland Evening Express to write her views of his famous play for that paper. We quote in part her review:

"The production of 'The Servant in the House,' which I recently witnessed at the Jefferson Theatre, is a symbolic play, one of rare merit. It should be seen and studied, for in its suggestions it is replete with moral and spiritual principals for old and young. It is an exposition of the heart and soul of man, a spiritual drama. From beginning to end it is refreshing, wholesome and uplifting. It appeals to the eyes and ears of our ethereal senses, and I welcome it as a sign—that a moral preparation has already begun through the drama for the benefit of mankind."

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Genesis 3—Jan. 19.
"Every one that committeth sin is the bond-servant of sin.—John 8:34."

ADAM'S first sin brought the penalty specified in this lesson. The Bible proposition is that God, having made Adam perfect, required perfect obedience as the condition of everlasting life. One act of disobedience broke the covenant between God and Adam. (Hosea 6:7. Margin.) Immediately he dropped from favor, under the sentence, "Dying, thou shalt die." Nothing that Adam or his children could do subsequently could recover covenant relationship with God. The death penalty was the limit.

By the law of heredity, Adam transmitted to his race a share of what he possessed, good and bad. As Adam could not increase his penalty, neither can his children. But as Adam could, by obedience to the Divine Law, prolong the process of his dying, so may his children. But the impairment wrought by sin has so progressed that many of Adam's children die in infancy, and few maintain the struggle for existence for a hundred years.

Death the Curse—Not Torture.
Our forefathers during the Dark Ages misunderstood the Heavenly Father's character and Plan. Misunderstanding the Bible to teach that God arranged for the eternal torture of all except the Church, they sought to copy their misconception of Jehovah by torturing their fellow-creatures. Because God's people have been gradually getting back to the teaching of His Word, the horrible practices of the past are no longer approved. But many have much yet to learn respecting the true teaching of the Bible.

The curse which God pronounced against our race is not eternal torment at the hands of devils; but as the Apostle says, "The wages of sin is death." The remedy is a resurrection, secured through the Redeemer's death at Calvary. "The gift of God is eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord." All experience the death penalty. All will have opportunity sometime of regaining everlasting life through Messiah's redemptive work and His Kingdom.

For a Little Flock, who in this Age have obeyed the Master's Voice, God has provided glorious things, far superior to anything that Adam lost. To those who walk in Jesus' footsteps, God promises a share with the Master in His glorious Kingdom.

The Lesson of This Study.
If our Christian forefathers could properly have appreciated today's lesson, they would have known what the Bible teaches respecting the "wages of sin," and have seen how seriously public thought had drifted away from the Divine testimony, to "doctrines of demons." How distinctly God forewarned our first parents that eating the forbidden fruit would bring upon them the death penalty! After they had disobeyed, God drove them out of Eden, that the penalty pronounced against them might be accomplished. Had they continued in Eden, eating of its life-sustaining fruits, they would have lived indefinitely.

Why Evil Was Permitted.
God foreknew the fall of man, before the foundation of the world, and provided the Lamb of God to take away the sin of the world. God had a glorious purpose interwoven with His permission of sin, which the majority but faintly discerned until lately. Jesus intimated that shortly before the establishment of His Kingdom His Church will understand features of the Divine Plan previously kept secret—they will have an appreciation of God's purposes, and His reasons for having permitted sin and death for six thousand years.

The Temptation of Eve.
How Lucifer and holy angels became disloyal to God we will inquire into later. In this lesson Lucifer, or Satan, is shown as seeking to alienate our first parents from the Creator that he might enslave them as servants. A spirit being, he would be unseen to Eve. It suited his purposes to possess a serpent, through which to tempt Eve. The serpent doubtless spoke by signs; as we sometimes say, "Actions speak louder than words."

The serpent ate of the forbidden fruit in the sight of the woman and then manifested its wisdom. The woman perceived. She craved knowledge. Could it be that God wished to keep them in ignorance, and for that reason had forbidden their eating of the fruit? Such disloyal thoughts should have been promptly spurned. But the insidious poison worked. She was not deceived as respects the wrongdoing, but regarding the result. Seeing that the serpent was not poisoned by the fruit, she did not realize that the poison to her was that of disobedience, bringing the death sentence. Adam's eating of the fruit was with full knowledge of the result. In love with his wife, he ate knowingly, preferring to die with her rather than to live without her.

Driven out of Eden.

WHEN FACING DEATH.
Pain or Fright, It Would Appear, is Rarely Present.
A distinguished British physician who has been at some pains to collect data on the subject asserts that few persons about to die have really any fear of dissolution. There is cited the case of the African explorer who was partially devoured by a lion. He declared that he felt no pain or fear and that his only sensation was one of intense curiosity as to what portion of his body the lion would take next.
Rustem Pasha, Turkish ambassador at London, used to tell of an attack made upon him by a bear during a hunt in the east. The bear tore off a bit of the Turk's hand, a part of his arm and a portion of his shoulder. Rustem solemnly averred that he suffered neither pain nor fear, but that he felt the gravest indignation because the bear granted with so much satisfaction while munching him.
Grant Allen, whose scientific habit of thought gave weight to his words, says that in his boyhood he had a narrow escape from drowning.
While skating he fell through thin ice over a place whence several blocks had the day before been removed. He was carried under the thicker ice beyond and when he came to the surface tried to break through by butting his head against it. The result was that he was stunned, then numbed by the cold and so waterlogged that artificial respiration had to be employed to restore him. These are the impressions as recorded by him with reference to the pain he suffered.
"The knowledge that I have thus experienced death in my own person has had a great deal to do with my utter physical indifference to it. I know how it feels. I had only a sense of cold, damp and breathlessness, a short struggle, and then all was over.
"I had been momentarily uncomfortable, but it was not half so bad as breaking an arm or having a tooth drawn. In fact, dying is as painless as falling asleep. It is only the previous struggle, the sense of its approach, that is at all uncomfortable. Even this is less unpleasant than I should have expected. There was a total absence of any craven shrinking. The sensation was merely the physical one of gasping for breath.—Harper's Weekly.

THE AGE OF MAN.

Science Places It Between 400,000 and 3,000,000 Years.
It is quite possible, said Professor A. Keith in a lecture to the British Association at Dundee, that man as we know him now took on his human characteristics somewhere near the beginning of the pleistocene period, and while the exact date is simply a guess the best estimates available indicate 1,400,000 B. C. as not far from the truth. It is the evidence of the flint collectors is accepted as authentic—pleistocene man is a possibility.
Professor Keith was sure we had traced ourselves back to the middle of the pleistocene, when we were accompanied by another form of man, almost as distinct from us as the gorilla is from the chimpanzee. At the beginning of the pleistocene there were at least two varieties of man—the pre-australoid of Heidelberg and the small brained man of Java, but the "representative of modern man at that early period" has not as yet been found.
If the claims of M. Rutot are accepted, the antiquity of man is at least 3,000,000 years. According to Professor Keith, the orthodox (by which presumably he meant scientifically orthodox) opinion is that "the dawn of the very earliest form of humanity lies 400,000 years behind us." From all of which it is plain that the beginnings of the age of man are still shrouded in mystery.
"The idea I wish to leave in your minds is," said Professor Keith in conclusion, "that in the distant past there was not one kind, but a number of very different kinds of men in existence, all of which have become extinct except that branch which has given origin to modern man"—New York Post.

Has His Own Death Certificate.
You never know when a man is really dead. Not even if you are a doctor. I know a man who walks about cheerfully now and occasionally pulls out from his pocketbook his death certificate, duly signed by the doctor some years ago. Just to amuse you. The doctor said he was dead. He disagreed. And his protest is the humorous presentation of the death certificate when you ask for his card.—London Chronicle.

Thackeray and Roast Mutton.
Thackeray often dropped in to dinner, sometimes announcing himself in verse. The following is one of his epistles:
A nice leg of mutton, my Lucia,
I pray thee have ready for me;
Have it smoking and tender and juicy,
For no better meat can there be.
—Recollections of Janet Ross.

Wise Child.
"You may give three important illustrations of the power of the press," says the teacher to the class.
The pupil who has not hitherto distinguished himself is first to reply:
"Cider, courtship and politics."—Judge.

Still Looking.
He—Five years ago when I saw her she was looking for a husband, but she's married now. She—Yes, and she's still looking for him, especially at nights.

A wise physician is more than anxious to the public weal.—Pope.

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Jennmol Gatewood, &c., - - - Dfts.

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All persons having claims against the estate of J. R. Gatewood, deceased, are hereby notified to present same to me, within said time, properly proven.

JOHN A. JUDY,

26-3 Master Commissioner M. C. C.

Cincinnati's Big Auto Show.

Cincinnati's mid-winter event of the season will be the coming Auto Show in February next, to be held in Music Hall. The same directing heads of last season's most successful show will be in charge of the coming one, which in itself will be a guarantee that nothing will be left undone to make it the best ever. At this early date the committee-in-charge is in daily conference, utilizing to every advantage their knowledge of technical detail, to the end of serving the public with the best that can be obtained.

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Agricultural Extension.

Starting the Dairy Herd.

In Kentucky many farmers are inquiring as to the advisability of replacing beef cattle with dairy cattle on the farm. To such inquiries we answer that where good markets for milk, butter, or cheese are available, and where one will go into the business with the determination to stick to it and master the many details, the farm income will be materially increased by the change.

To those who are just embarking we would offer the following suggestions in the light of more than 20 years personal experience in dairy farming and from observations of the successes and failures of scores of dairymen in this and other States.

First, look well to your market. Your location will determine whether the product shall be milk, cream, butter or cheese, or whether retailed in a local market or shipped to a city dealer. If the farm is located several miles from a market or shipping point, butter, cream or cheese should prove most profitable, because of the lower cost of hauling the reduced bulk. Butter of a high quality is being produced on many farms in the State at present and such butter is in good demand at prices equal to or greater than creamery butter. Sweet milk and sweet cream usually afford better returns than butter and cheese, provided the dairy is close to a good retail market or to a railroad where quick shipment can be made to a good market.

Second, use care in selecting cows. The beginner should start with good common or grade cows which can usually be picked up in the neighborhood at prices ranging from \$50 to \$65.

Mate these cows to a pure bred bull of one of the dairy breeds. The value of this bull depends upon whether his mother and his sire's mother were large milk and butter cows, also upon the dairy merits of the daughters of his sire and grand sire, and of his dam and grand dam; also of his sisters. Frequently bull calves of this description can be bought from breeders and dairymen at very reasonable figures.

The heifer calves obtained by

mating such a bull on good heavy milking cows of common breeding are almost certain to develop into high producing dairy cows. By continuing the use of good bulls from selected cows, improvement will be continuous and sure. A herd can thus be developed on the farm at a small cost.

Third, we wish to emphasize that for the beginner, pure-bred females are not necessary. Such high priced stock should not be used until one first learns to handle grade cows successfully; and is convinced that he has the capacity and aptitude to attain results in breeding, and has the ability of salesmanship, and a good demand for his pure-bred stock. Few men have the ability to make a financial success of breeding. One should not go into the business. One should grow into it.

While for the beginner pure-bred females are not necessary, the use of the pure-bred and well bred bull is absolutely necessary to attain best results.

Starting in the business with grade cows, a registered cow may be added from time to time as circumstances permit. These should be heavy producers and from good milking strains, otherwise they will give no better results than scrubs, in fact there are a great many scrubs and misfits among registered cattle. Avoid the use of such cows.

By pursuing the method outlined above, a herd of high producing registered dairy cattle may be assembled at a very moderate cost. Such is the method sanctioned by common sense and good business judgment. Hundreds of dairymen all over the country have followed it and have attained marked success.

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The human ear becomes sensible to sound when vibrations have a speed of sixteen per second. As the vibrations increase the pitch ascends until 30,000 are attained, when the result is inaudible. The practical range on the piano is from 32 vibrations to 4,096.

Thirty-two vibrations is the number designated for the note of C, three octaves below middle C on the piano. The next C has twice the number of vibrations—64; the next twice that—128; the next 256, being middle C. Doubling again for the ascending octaves, the successive C's vibrate, respectively, 512, 1,024, 2,048 and 4,096 times per second. The pitch of the intervening notes is regulated proportionally according to the chromatic scale.

These figures have not always been the same. The early instrument makers of Europe had many disputes concerning the measurement of the musical strings and pipes that determined the pitch. The A string of the violin gives the tuning note for orchestras. On the piano it is the first A above middle C. From early times to the middle of the nineteenth century this pitch note varied from 377 to 445 vibrations per second, but 435 proved to be the most acceptable pitch.

In close calculations temperature has some influence, so that some experts do not advocate striving for greater accuracy than within five vibrations for the pitch note.

The celebrated high C of the soprano voice has a vibration of 1,024. There is record of a woman, Lucrezia Agliardi, who is vouched for by Mozart to have reached an octave above, thereby causing her vocal cords to vibrate at a speed of 2,048 times per second.—Harper's Weekly.

HID THE HANDKERCHIEF.

There Was a Time When It Was an Unmentionable Article.

The evolution of the pocket handkerchief is odd and interesting. There was a time when it was an unmentionable thing—an article to be kept out of sight and referred to only in a whisper. In polite conversation it was carefully avoided, and, as to one's being caught using a handkerchief, it meant social ostracism.

This state of things obtained up to the time of the first Napoleon, when the Empress Josephine brought it forward for a personal reason. The only defect in her beauty was an irregularity of the teeth, and to hide this she used a delicate little handkerchief, which from time to time she raised to her lips. Thus she was enabled to laugh occasionally. Seeing that it was a case of either laughter going out or handkerchiefs coming into fashion, the court ladies adopted the pretty pieces of cambric and lace.

In England the evolution of the article which is now so openly displayed by women was equally slow. There was a time when it was forbidden to mention it on the stage or to make use of it even in the most tearful situation, while the people in the gallery and the pit shed their tears into their laps. Even when it was mentioned for the first time in one of Shakespeare's plays it was received with hisses and general indignation by the audience. Little by little, however, the prejudice gave way, and a time came when the handkerchief could be flourished in broad daylight.

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"Got any money saved up?"
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"Could you let me have \$5,000 on my unsecured note?"
"I could, but I wouldn't."
"I guess you can take care of her all right. She's yours, my boy, and here's a five cent cigar."—Washington Herald.

Pat's Answer.

An Irishman once entered into conversation with an Englishman. The Englishman, thinking to have a joke with his companion, asked, "How many hairs on a pig's face?"
"Begorra, sir," said Pat, "the next time you shave you can count them."—London Answers.

Wanted to Know.

Mother—Freddie, haven't I told you that if you mock at the peculiarities of others you may grow just like them? Freddie—Say, ma, do you suppose if I mocked at the elephant long enough I'd ever get so's I could pick up apples over the fence with my nose?—Boston Transcript.

A Cast in His Eye.

"What a queer look he has."
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There is an old saying that if you can count five between the flash and the thunder you are safe. Modern science tells us that if you can see the flash at all you are safe, because if it struck you you would have no time to see it. The speed of lightning is about 180 times that of sight.

The old idea was that if you could count five the storm was a mile away, which was considered a safe distance. Sound travels at the rate of 1,142 feet a second, or about a mile in five seconds. In order to count seconds accurately many photographers start by saying to themselves: "No one thousand, one one thousand two one thousand, three one thousand," etc. This gives about the right space between each count of one, two, three, etc. If you stop at the number of seconds you want to time. With a little practice with a watch beside you this is accurate up to half a minute or more.

If you see a steam whistle blowing and note the instant it stops you can count the seconds until you lose the sound, and by allowing a fifth of a mile for each second you can judge the distance. The same is true of guns, or an explosion, or even of hammering or any loud sounds.—New York Press.

MARRIAGE BY PROXY.

This Curious Ceremony is a Purely Dutch Institution.

Some time ago a Boer in Pretoria was married to a girl in Amsterdam. In Holland, the ceremony constituting what the Dutch call *huwelijk*, or proxy marriage.

In spite of the fact that a distance of 6,000 miles lay between the bride in the Netherlands and the bridegroom in the Transvaal they were just as effectually married under the Dutch law as if both had been present in the same church.

The bridegroom sent to his friend, or best man, in Amsterdam a power of attorney to represent him as his proxy at the ceremony and at the same time forwarded his glove, which at the proper moment, when the two were made one, was held by both the bride and the proxy.

The wedding was duly registered at Amsterdam and at Pretoria, where the bridegroom filed an affidavit with the landdrost, or magistrate.

This curious form of marriage is a purely Dutch institution, the custom having originated, it is said, in the old times of Dutch-Batavian rule. It is, however, a dead letter in the Transvaal since the English took over that colony.—New York Press.

After the Deluge.

She had just returned from her first trip to Europe and everybody was given an opportunity to know about it. One by one they gently extorted themselves, but at last she found a silent youth in a corner, who proved to be an attentive listener. To him she rhapsodized on the beauty of life "abroad," and especially in England. It is difficult, however, for the most enthusiastic tourist to exist long without eliciting from an auditor some expression of wonder or applause, so she sought to break her listener's respectful silence even at the expense of losing a little time herself. "Were you ever in England?" she asked.

"Yes," he said modestly. "I was born there, and I am thirty-six years old. I lived there until I came to America three months ago. If you can tell me anything about America I should be awfully glad, as I wish to learn all I can."—New York Press.

Diseases of Metals.

Metals suffer from contagious diseases analogous to those of living beings. Among these diseases one of the most striking is that called "tin pest." Sometimes a block, a plate or medal of tin attacked by this disease crumbles and falls into dust, and sometimes warty protuberances appear on the surface of the metal. Various other metals suffer from a disease that manifests itself by a spontaneous recrystallization. The most remarkable cases occur with lead and hard drawn brass. These diseases are not due, as has been thought, simply to moisture. Temperature plays a part in producing them. The most extraordinary fact perhaps is that the "tin pest" is capable of spreading by contagion.—Harper's Weekly.

Maybe a Little—After.

The play was not by any means brilliant, and obviously the man was bored. Suddenly he leaped to his feet. "I heard an alarm of fire," he said. "I must go and see where it is."

His wife, whose hearing was less acute, made way for him in silence, and he disappeared.

"It wasn't a fire after all," he said on his return.

"Nor water, either," said his wife coldly, with a sniff.—Exchange.

Caustic.

Scene—Train stopping at small roadside station. Irritable Old Gentleman—What on earth do they stop at a station like this for? Objectionable Passenger (alighting)—To allow me to get out. Irritable Old Gentleman—Ah! I see it has its advantages, then!

Showed Her Age.

Grace—They say that Miss Forty-odd was named after her Aunt Georgiana. Gwendolyn—She looks as if she was named before her Aunt Georgiana.—Judge.

The art of being able to make good use of moderate abilities often confers more reputation than real merit.—Rochefoucauld.

LOADING BIG GUNS

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STORY OF A PRACTICE DRILL.

What Happened After the Order to "Fire!" Was Very Different From What Would Have Occurred Had Cordite and Projectiles Been Used.

The order is given to load. Some one touches a lever, and with a hiss a mass of bright steel turns and twists back, and the breech of the gun gapes open. Another touch on the lever, and from beside you a hydraulic ram shoots out like a golden tongue into the breech and immediately shoots back again. All is clear. Now, at your very feet, a hole gapes in the floor of the turret, there is a sleet and crash of metal, and as you look down into the hole you see a small lift traveling up with incredible rapidity and internal clatter bearing on it the immense projectile, weighing more than seven hundredweight, and, in another compartment, the two cartridges of cordite.

Up comes the lift, locks itself with a crash and spills out the projectile on a metal tray in line with the open breech. The golden tongue of the rammer shoots out again and pushes the projectile into the gaping breech, extending itself apparently indefinitely until the projectile has disappeared. The lift shifts a little, bringing into line with the gun its other compartment, which contains the two half charges, each a cylinder holding 130 pounds of cordite. Out shoots the ram again, with no more respect for them than if they had been sponges, and pushes them steadily home behind the projectile, and, having done its deadly business, retires again out of the way to be ready for another cycle of the same operations.

Half a turn of the wheel, and the breech block swings home with a sigh and a click. "Right gun loaded, sir." Now you wait in suspense, and a voice in the conning tower gives the range—8,500 yards. The gun layer in his quiet corner has all this time never taken his eye from the glass. He turns one wheel, and the whole turret swings round over the ship's quarter; he turns another, and with a little hiss and sigh of imprisoned water the whole mighty tonnage of the gun, sweetly balanced on its trunnions, rises and tilts itself to the push of the hydraulic press.

The range is decreasing by some thirty yards a second, since the target is a ship approaching us at a speed equal to our own—fifteen knots—and as the falling ranges are given the gun metal wheel is turned an eighth or a quarter of an inch, and the muzzle of the gun sinks down a little as gently as a falling leaf. The sights are reported "on," the gun laid, and the word we have all been waiting for is sharply given—"Fire!" The gun layer pulls a trigger no bigger than that of a pistol and—

The projectile was a dummy one made of wood covered with leather, and there was no cordite in the cartridges. If it had been otherwise the pictures that adorned the commander's room, the mirrors and toilet accessories on the cabin tables and the various elegant adornments of the captain's suit would (unless they had been previously packed away) have come crashing down from their places, and the navigating commander, who happened at the time to be explaining to an unwilling listener on the quarter-deck by what skill and foresight he had avoided setting the ship's stern on to the breakwater at Portland, would have been blown off the deck.

These things were unnecessary, for I quite understood. The click and silence that followed the word "Fire!" were quite eloquent enough to one of all the shattering damnation they represented—a projectile weighing 850 pounds hurtling to its mark at the rate of almost a thousand yards a second.

But we in the turret would have known nothing, for before it had reached the target the breech block would have opened to the screech of the air blast which cleans out the burning fragments of cordite in the breech, the rammer would have shot in with its mop and out again, the ammunition hoist would have come clattering and screaming up, another projectile would have rolled into the tray with another two hundredweight of death packed behind it, the rammer would have pushed it home with a kick, the block would have swung to again, the great gun would have been sighted and swung in the air, again the word would have been given, and again the fragment of concentrated power that men had tolled in factories and drawing offices, in laboratories and foundries to perfect would have been sent whirling through the sea air to spend itself in destruction.

And only one man in the turret would have seen its fate; only he with his eye to the telescope, who had seen the hull of that ship in the distance covering the threadlike cross on his glass as he pulled the trigger, would see and guess when the distant target would burst into yellow smoke what work had been done.—London Standard.

Not at All Easy.

Luella—Oh, you can win Marie's heart easily enough. All you need do is to give her all the money she wants. Jules—And do you call that easy?—Paris Rire.

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THOUGHT TRANSFERENCE.

Wireless Telegraphy May Point to the "Why" of Telepathy.

Accepting telepathy as an established fact, the problem remains—how are we to explain it? What is the mechanism by which one person is able to transmit messages directly and instantaneously to another person, although they may be half the world apart?

To this question it must frankly be admitted no positive answer can as yet be returned. But some interesting hypotheses have lately been advanced, not by mere theorists, but by eminent men of science, who, themselves affirming the actuality of telepathy, have given much thought to the problem of its mode of operation.

Sir William Crookes, for example, calling attention to the marvelous but undisputed facts of the real vibration as evidenced by the phenomena of wireless telegraphy and the Roentgen rays, argues that here we have quite possibly an adequate explanation of the mystery of telepathy of a wholly naturalistic basis—that is to say, a basis which enables us to accept telepathy without dislocating our entire conception of the physical universe.

"It seems to me," he suggests, "that these rays (the Roentgen rays) may have a possible way of transplanting intelligence which, with a few reasonable postulates, may supply the key to much that is obscure in physical research. Let it be assumed that these rays, or rays of even higher frequency, can pass into the brain and act on some nervous center there. Let it be conceived that the brain contains a center which uses these rays as the vocal chords use sound vibrations (both being under the command of intelligence) and sends them out with the velocity of light to impinge on the receiving ganglion of another brain. In this same way the phenomenon of telepathy and the transmission of intelligence from one sensitive to another through long distances seem to come into the domain of law and can be grasped."

This undoubtedly is the explanation that most strongly commends itself to those scientists who courageously acknowledge their belief in telepathy. Nor do they see any objection to it in the fact that people apparently are affected by the telepathic impulse only at certain times, for the brain of both sender and receiver may conceivably, on the analogy of wireless telegraphy, be set to transmit and receive telepathic communications only when attuned to vibrations of a certain amplitude.—H. Addington Bruce in Hampton Magazine.

Modern Husbands.

Lady Nevill in her reminiscences talks of the decadence of the day as reflected in the lives of women. "The fact is," she says, "that in a great many cases modern woman—in England, I mean—is spoiled. Many have no interests and too much time on their hands, with the result that they will take up some fad. As for the well-to-do, a great number of them now seem to completely dominate their husbands. This struck the old shah of Persia very much. 'It seems to me,' said he, 'that an English or American husband is nothing better than a sort of butler.'"

Lincoln Joined Seward.

Uncle Billy Green of Illinois was Lincoln's partner in the grocery at Salem. At night, when customers were few, he held the grammar while Lincoln recited his lessons. At Lincoln's first inaugural banquet Green sat at the table on the president's left, with the dignified Secretary Seward on the right. Lincoln presented the two men to each other, saying, "Secretary Seward, this is Mr. Green of Illinois." Seward bowed stiffly, when Lincoln exclaimed: "Oh, get up, Seward, and shake hands with Green. He's the man that taught me my grammar."—Kansas City Star.

Four Days in the Year.

There are but four days in the year when the sun and clock exactly correspond. In other words, there are but four days of the 365 in which the sun is directly south at noon. The fifteenth of April and the seventeenth of June remember. August thirty-first and twenty-fourth of December. On these four days and none else in the year the sun and clock both the same time declare.

Business Humor.

Here is a rare specimen of business humor received the other day by a London firm. It ran: "Our cashier fell unconscious at his desk this morning. Up to this time, 4 p. m., we have been unable to get a word out of him except your names. May we say to him, with a view to his immediate recovery, that we have your check, as we think that is what is on his mind?"—Pearson's Weekly.

Man and Woman.

"Man, composed of clay, is silent and ponderous," preached Jean Paul in the fifteenth century, "but woman gives evidence of her osseous origin by the rattle she keeps up. Move a sack of earth and it makes no noise; touch a bag of bones and you are deafened with the clatter clatter."

Sorry For Pa.

"I'm sorry for pa." "Why?" "Sis is going to marry a man who makes more money than he does."—Detroit Free Press.

More helpful than all human wisdom is one draft of simple human pity that will not for sake us.

A WONDERFUL STREAM.

The Mississippi River, Its Magnitude and the Area It Drains.

The Mississippi river, lying wholly within the temperate zone, is in this respect more fortunately situated than the more fertile valley of the Amazon, since the climate here, varied and sometimes inhospitable as it is, offers conditions of human development there denied.

The main stream is 2,500 miles in length—that is, about ten times that of the Seine. As Mark Twain has said, it is "the crookedest river" in the world, traveling 1,300 miles to cover the same ground that a crow would fly over in 675. For several hundred miles it is a mile in width. Back in 1882 it was seventy miles wide when the flood was highest.

The volume of water discharged by it into the sea is second only to the Amazon and is greater than that of all European rivers combined (omitting the Volga). The amount is estimated at 139 cubic miles annually—that is, it would fill annually a tank 139 miles long, 139 miles wide and 139 miles high. With its tributaries it provides somewhat more than 16,000 miles of navigable water, more than any other system on the globe except the Amazon and more than enough to reach from Lake Superior to Paris by way of Kamchatka and Alaska, about three-fourths of the way around the globe. The sediment deposited is 400,000,000 tons, enough to require daily for its removal 500 trains of fifty cars each carrying fifty tons, and to make each year two square miles of new earth over a hundred feet deep.

The area which it drains is roughly 1,250,000 square miles, or two-fifths of the United States. That is, Germany, Austria-Hungary, France and Italy could be set down within this area and there would still be some room to spare.

It has the strength, for the most part put to no use whatever, of 60,000,000 horses. The difference between high water and low water is in some places fifty feet, which gives some impression of the range of its moodiness.—John Finley in Scribner's Magazine.

SHE WAS GOING TO DIE.

Then Something Happened That Made the Sick Girl Well.

An Atchison young lady had been ill for some time and finally became much depressed. She told a married sister, who was assisting in caring for her, that she knew she was going to die, and that she might as well distribute her possessions. "I'll give you my coral beads," she said to the married sister, "but Mary is to have my diamond ring because you have had several diamonds given to you by your husband."

The sick girl expected the married sister to fall on her neck and weep, not only at the sadness of her impending and untimely death, but because of her generosity in the matter of her corals. So it was no wonder that every nerve in the invalid's body was jarred by the married sister's answer: "Well, of all the nerve! Giving me your little string of cheap corals! Why, they cost only \$20, while your diamond ring is worth every bit of \$250. It makes me tired," the married sister continued in excited tones, "the way you indulge Mary. Why, she's at a party this very minute, and I'm slaving here with you. As for my diamonds, didn't I help my husband scrimp and save?"

But right here the sick young woman, buoyed up by righteous indignation, her blood pumping through her veins with anger, sat up, put her feet firmly on the floor, got up and dressed. "You can take the next train for home," she said to the astonished married sister. "I'll just wear my diamond ring and corals myself a little while longer." This is a true story and, although the incident occurred six months ago, the Atchison young lady hasn't been sick a minute since.—Atchison Globe.

Could You Do Better?

"I was one of a party of four taking an early dinner at an open air restaurant in Cologne on the Fourth of July several years ago," says a New York Tribune reader. "We sent a polite request to the orchestra leader to play 'The Star Spangled Banner' and were told that the composition was 'unknown.' We were surprised and vexed and talked a lot about the song, its origin, its beauty, and finally discovered that had the bandmaster played it we—all four of us—could have sung only 'la-la' to the second verse and all after it."

Maine's Needle Rock.

In Blue Hill bay, Me., there is a pinhead rock only six feet in diameter at its top which projects to within seven feet of the surface of the water and rises nearly perpendicularly out of a depth of seventy-eight feet. The existence of this rock is an evidence of the difficulty, even in well known waters, of demonstrating that no isolated rocks are lying in wait for heedless victims.—Harper's.

The Good He Did.

"Do you really believe, doctor, that your old medicines really keep anybody alive?" asked the skeptic. "Surely," returned the doctor. "My prescriptions have kept three druggists and their families alive in this town for twenty years."—Harper's Weekly.

Pretty Long Run.

Dutch Comedian—I played Hamlet once. Chorus—Did you have a long run? Dutch Comedian—About three miles.—Judge.

Not the body, but the soul, strikes the blow in which lives victory.—Maga.

Loses Whiskey When

He Drives Into Snare.

Friday night while driving to Owingsville from Mt. Sterling, the buggy driven by Samuel Taylor was wrecked and several quarts of whiskey stolen. A rope had been stretched across the road and when Taylor drove into it the bed of the buggy was torn off and the driver thrown out. When he regained consciousness he found that his whiskey had been stolen, together with his buggy robe and whip.

The above is a special sent from Owingsville.

Hung Jury at Winchester.

The jury in the Callahan murder case was unable to agree and was dismissed. Judge Benton then announced that no more trials for murder would be held until rumors of perjury were sifted. He held Smith and Johnson without bail.

Atmore's mince meat at Vanarsdell's.

Student Admits Guilt.

Thomas H. Butler, the student who disappeared from State University, Lexington, shortly after the burning of one of the University buildings, has been arrested at Youngstown, O., and has given out a statement to the effect that he and Richard Webb were responsible for the burning of Prof. Paul Anderson's office. His arrest and the statement he has given out has caused quite a sensation in Lexington. Webb is out in a statement denying the accusation.

I have all my accounts made out and would appreciate it if you would call and settle if you are indebted to me.

S. P. Greenwade.

Wm. Neale Resigns.

Mr. Wm. Neale, former president of the Blue Grass League and who resigned recently and accepted a position as manager of the Louisville Base Ball Club in the American Association, has resigned that position.

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BIG BATTLESHIPS.

As Viewed From the Standpoint of Economy and Gun Fire.

A very important factor in the question of the size of ships is that of economy. A given amount of tonnage is more economically assigned to one ship than distributed among several. Three ships require three captains, three officers constantly on deck in charge, three men at the wheel and three times as many lookouts. While the same proportion—threefold—of deck and engineer force may not be needed, the aggregate crews of three vessels would nevertheless show a very considerable percentage in excess of one of the same aggregate tonnage. All this means much more expense for the same carriage of freight and passengers.

The same order of considerations applies to ships of war, but in a less degree, because naval vessels are not for purposes of gain. With them the running expenses in this particular count as with merchantmen, but the question of profit is replaced by that of military efficiency, as ministering to the safety of the nation or to the assertion of national policies.

Suppose one ship carrying twelve guns opposed to four carrying three each. With the very wide train of modern guns—that is, the long arc of a circle over which their projectiles can strike effectively—it is easily feasible to bring all the guns of four ships upon a single opponent. Probably she on her part may bring also upon each enemy three guns, a fire power equal to his, but the concentration of fourfold impact upon a single vessel produces upon her crew a corresponding physical as well as moral impression, diminishing their military efficiency, their power of rapid loading and aiming, not to speak of the proportionately greater chances of material injury.

If there be the same number of hits on both sides the one will have been struck four times as often as any one opponent. If, as would be very proper, the one begins by concentrating all her battery on one or two of her antagonists she ought to beat them down, but an appreciable time would be required, during which the others would be engaged in unmolested target practice upon her.—Rear Admiral A. T. Mahan in Leslie's.

FALSE COLORS.

Iridescence of the Opal is Merely a Matter of Formation.

The opal has no color in the sense of pigmentation. To break open an opal in order to observe its hues would be the equivalent to killing the goose that laid the golden eggs. Neither golden eggs nor rainbow hues would be found. Opal consists of hydrated silica. It is not uniform in texture. If the word surface may be used for interior conditions it might be said that the opaline silica is in the form of surfaces and layers that lie compactly against one another. These layers refract the light at various angles, giving forth the colored flashes in the same way that a pure crystal prism refracts the colors of the spectrum. Technically speaking, these layers of silica are said to possess a different index of refraction from that of the matrix. As the opal is moved the various layers break the light into colors, which change, of course, according to the position of the stone.

The iridescence of nacre, or mother-of-pearl, is also a matter of form and not actual color. In fact, all "changeable" colors are more or less the result of form even where there is pigmentation beneath, such as in certain ribbed silks. When sunlight bears directly upon finely ribbed metal, as a file, there is the same play of colors.

In the case of mother-of-pearl an interesting experiment has been made. An impression of the pearl was taken upon pure white wax. It was then found that the apparently smooth surface of the pearl had still sufficient irregularities to impress upon the wax a surface that resulted in similar color manifestations.—Harper's Weekly.

Barbers Ages Ago.

The first barbers of whom there is any record piled their trade in Greece in the fifth century B. C. In Rome the first barbers operated in the third century B. C. In olden times in England the barber and the physician were also his chief medical adviser. In the time of Henry VIII. of England saws were made concerning barbers, of which the following is an extract: "No person occupying a shaving or barbering in London shall use any surgery, letting of blood or other matter, except the drawing of teeth."

The Real Simon Pure.

"The real Simon pure" is one of those phrases which every one understands and not one in a hundred could account for. Simon Pure was a Pennsylvania Quaker in Mrs. Centlivre's "A Bold Stroke for a Wife," produced at Drury Lane theater, London, in February, 1718. One Colonel Feignwell passes himself off as Simon and wins the heart of a Bristol heiress, Miss Lovely, after which the real Simon Pure turns up.

All Wrong.

New Curate—Your husband is a confirmed invalid, is he not? Mrs. Billys—Confirmed, sir? No, sir; he ain't Church of England. New Curate—I mean is he a permanent invalid? Mrs. Billys—Permanent? Lor', no! Doctor says he can't last a month.—London Telegraph.

There Are Exceptions.

Willie—All the world loves a lover. Willie—Bully lie, ye know. Nellie de Wink's pet terrier has bitten me four times, bah Jovel.—New York Globe.

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Robert W. Archibald, of Scranton, Pa., for twenty-nine years an occupant of judicial positions upon the Pennsylvania State bench, the Federal District bench and the United States Commerce Court, was adjudged guilty by the United States Senate of "high crimes and misdemeanors;" was stripped of his office, and forever disqualified from holding positions of public honor or public trust.

The conviction and judgment came as the conclusion of the impeachment trial that has been pending in the Senate since last summer on charges that Judge Archibald had been guilty of misconduct and misbehavior as a judge and that he had corruptly used his judicial power to further the private interests of himself and his friends, in the acquisition of coal land properties in Pennsylvania.

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